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LOCAL AND MISCELLANEOUS.

Condensed Time Table Tionesta Station. NORTH. Train 15... 7:45 am Train 63... 11:05 am

—Rev. Hicks will occupy the pulpit of the M. E. Church next Sunday evening, at 7:30.

—Presbyterian Sabbath School at 12:30 p. m.; M. E. Sabbath School at 10 a. m.

—The "big woods" are said to be full of deer—hunters this season.

—Oil Market closed last night at \$1.18 1/2. Opened this morning at \$1.18 1/2.

—Mrs. W. J. Bleakley and daughter of Franklin are visiting with Mrs. Col. Thomas this week.

—Argument court was held yesterday, but no business of importance to the general public was transacted.

—The Barhenn boys of Dutch Hill have slaughtered five deer thus far this season. All shot in the head.

—Mr. Ben. W. May, now doing business in Chicago, came home Monday for a short visit with relatives and friends.

—Supt. Hilliard has not fully decided upon the date for holding the Institute, but thinks it will be during court week.

—J. D. Hulings returned Monday from a business trip to St. Louis, being accompanied there by Dan and Jake Goettel of Oil City.

—Mrs J. B. Legnard accompanied by her little son Huntington, of Waukegan, Ill., is the guest of her mother Mrs. H. H. May, at present.

—The creek and back channel have been spanned with an ice bridge since last Thursday night, but hardly of sufficient thickness to bear passengers.

—By the new standard time which went into effect on Sunday last, the time of trains on the B., N. Y. & P. R. R. is one minute faster than heretofore.

—In-itations are out for the marriage, next Wednesday at 11 o'clock a. m., of Dr. Thomas D. Dunn of Philadelphia, and Miss Kate E. Cobb of Tionesta.

—Miss Maria Heibel of Warren, who is favorably known to many of the ladies of this place, was married on the 15th inst., to Mr. Henry Werle, of Sterling, Ill.

—There will be a shooting match at Wm. Heath's place, Dutch Hill, next Saturday, to which all shooters are invited. Turkeys, geese and chickens, good and fat, in abundance.

—Mrs. J. H. Dewees and son Joe have returned from Washington, D. C., and will again make Tionesta their home. Both Mrs. D. and her son have been in poor health for some time.

—Dealers should remember that no gunpowder, cartridges, pistols or guns can be sold to boys under sixteen years of age. The penalty for the violation of this law is three hundred dollars fine.

—We had quite a good run of sleighing during the latter part of last week in this section. It was a feast for the hunters also, and many a poor deer was called upon to give up this world of tribulations.

—Tom Hassey took a lively ride up Elm street Monday morning. His team of blacks came near getting the better of him, but by hard sea-sawing on the lines Tom managed to stop them damageless.

—Wm. Y. Siggins has our thanks for a bundle of celery, which upon trial we find to be most delicious, crisp and finely flavored, as good as any of foreign importation. Mr. S. has something like 2000 stocks of this same celery for sale at a very moderate price, and all lovers of the "yarb" should give him a call.

—Chas Raisig wishes to inform the public that he has secured the services of a first-class horse-shoer, one who has made it a study and understands the cure of diseased feet. Charley invites the public to give him a trial.

—The Sickles property comprising about 700 acres of land, nearly all of which is in Tionesta borough has been purchased for \$20,000 by Dr. A. G. Egbert and I. N. Patterson of Franklin, and D. S. Knox of this place. It will be tested for oil purpose in the near future.

—Mr. John T. Carson has purchased the stock of merchandise of Geo. W. Dithridge and will shortly add a complete line of stationery and fancy articles. John is a deserving young man and we bespeak for him a good share of public patronage when once he gets under way.

—The celebrated Government land suit, involving the ownership of the James Gordon farm near West Hickory, was decided in the U. S. Circuit Court at Pittsburg on Monday. This suit has been pending for several years, John Sliney of Corry, Pa., being the defendant and having possession of the property. The jury brought in a verdict for the government.

—Vennor says of the weather that the fore part of December will probably continue cold and may lead many to look for an early setting in of the winter '83-'84, but as in 1875, all will be open again during the latter part of the month and the close of the year 1883. The year will go out and the new year enter with but little or no snow, even in the northern sections.

—This morning the team of ponies belonging to Hon. J. B. Agnew took fright in front of the Rural House and ran away. Mr. Agnew, who had just got into the wagon, was thrown out and had his face and his right hand considerably bruised. The team ran up Elm St., down Walnut and across the river bridge, being stopped a few rods below the depot. No damage done to the team or vehicle.

—Surveyor Whittekin with a gang of engineers has been operating between Garfield and the country south of that place, but the exact location of his explorations is not yet known. It is rumored that the Garfield and Cherry Grove Railroad is about to extend its line down Beaver and Hickory creeks, crossing the river and connecting with the B., N. Y. & P. R. R., and that Mr. Whittekin and his corps of assistants are making the preliminary survey.

—One of our sensible exchanges thus sensibly remarks: There cannot be too much said about the propriety of patronizing home industries and supporting home trade. We are now enjoying a revival in all branches of business, and the way to maintain it, is to patronize home trade. Don't lend your patronage to neighboring towns, and cripple our own trade, and cause another lull in business circles. You can purchase goods just as cheap at home as abroad, then why not patronize your own town.

—"Written for You," the finest work of the kind ever issued in America. Not only is it beautiful in appearance but most valuable in contents highly entertaining and instructive as well as improving and purifying to the mind. The Flower Department is also an important addition to the value of the book. Enough flowers to adorn a home are described with the history and accurate engraved illustration of each, with instructions in regard to their care and propagation. This is profitable and welcome knowledge to every household. Mrs. L. C. Simpson, is now canvassing our town for this work.

—Peterson's Magazine for December is, as usual, ahead of all the lady's books. Splendid as this magazine has been in the past, the present number quite outstrips itself. There are two superb steel-plates; a colored pattern, costlier even than a chromo; a colored fashion, double size, printed from steel; and more than half a hundred wood-cuts of fashions, work table patterns, etc., etc. The price is but two dollars a year to single subscribers. To clubs it is cheaper still. Address Peterson's Magazine, 306 Chestnut Street, Philadelphia, Pa.

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Ladies Should Remember, a beautiful complexion results from using Acker's Blood Elixir. Sold by G. W. Bovard.

—H. M. Irwin of the Franklin Press, hitches up along side the sanctum stove and delivers himself as follows: "We are to have a mild, open winter, with a great deal of warm rain, and but little frost." The husks on the corn are remarkably thin this season muskrats have plastered their burrows hardly any—just a little, to keep their neighbors from talking; spiders continue to spin their webs, and haven't thought of going into winter quarters; the hair on the hogs is unwontedly sparse, and cats are observed washing their faces back of the ears; large numbers of people have not bought new overcoats, and women are purchasing sealskin sashes very largely. As the early and remarkably searching blizzard comes walking down from Nova Zembla, and the snow-laden blast tears howling through street and alley, it is pleasant to sit by the cozy fire and read about these infallible signs of a mild winter. Our exchanges are filled with such paragraphs, instigated by the old hunters, old observers and old frauds who will continue to monkey with the weather as long as there are fools to encourage them in it.

OIL NOTES.

Porcupine Oil Co.'s No. 12 on 3,184 was due yesterday. Its location is so far north as to make its chances off a large well or a dry hole about equal. It is near the west line of the belt and the wells here either start of largely or amount to nothing, so sharply does the prolific sand end. No. 12 is far enough inside the lines, however, to warrant its being a good well, something like Howe fourteen. There are now three drilling wells in the Balltown district and one new rig. There are other rigs up, but none that will be drilled for some time, if this winter.

On the Funk lands south of Balltown, the Union Oil Company have completed a rig and have machinery on the ground, but have not yet got the drill started.

The Hunter well near the depot was torpedoed last Wednesday afternoon. This well was drilled a trifle over 1400 feet deep. At a depth of 1360 a sand closely resembling the Bradford article was struck and drilled through, there being about 40 feet of it. After the shot was put in the well ejected considerable salt water and some slate, from which it is supposed the torpedo was not down far enough. The well has some oil in it now, but not enough to pay for pumping we believe. There is also sufficient gas to make a good light. We hear it said the owners will put another shot in, but have nothing definite on that point.

L. H. Simpson, representing a syndicate known as the Windsor Oil Company of New York, arrived in town yesterday and will lease up land throughout the county for the purpose of sinking a large number of wells. We learn he has already secured several thousand acres of territory for some of which a bonus has been paid. The company is said to represent over five hundred thousand dollars in hard cash and evidently means business, and the present indications are that Forest county will receive the most thorough test it has ever experienced.

A Card.

I wish through the columns of the REPUBLICAN to deny the statement that I signed a paper agreeing to support the Prohibition ticket. It has been charged by those whom I had reason to expect better of that in voting the Republican ticket I broke my pledge, and I wish to say that such is not the case and my conscience is perfectly easy in the matter. I never agreed to vote the Prohibition ticket. But I mean to stick to the grand old Republican ship until she goes to pieces, and then I will grasp one of the planks and shout "Freedom!" I am sorry to think that some of my pretended friends are trying to draw custom away from me and ruin my business because I would not desert my party and vote to suit them. Supposing they should succeed in their attempt, I am sure that God has a great green earth and that He has promised to take care of His children while on that earth. GEO. HENDERSON.

—For good fresh Goods cheap go to HASLET & SONS. Feb. 1, '82.

—Croup, Whooping Cough, and even Asthma, immediately relieved by Acker's English Remedy. Sold under guarantee by G. W. Bovard.

East Hickory Etchings.

The sudden visitation of winter has set the bob-sleds in motion and brought forth many a cutter hay-sprinkled and bedecked with summer's dust. The river was too slushy to cross for awhile and not a few daring forms tripped across the frail web-like planks uniting the completed spans of the bridge. I understand Miss Fannie Siggins of West Hickory was the first lady who crossed the bridge, but it will not be long now before we can all go over, dizzy heads as well as strong nerved people.

The main event of the week just past was the lecture in the M. E. Church Wednesday evening by Rev. Marc Emory, Pastor of the Congregational Church at Sugar Grove. His subject was "The Dignity of Labor." For fifty minutes he held the attention of a large and appreciative audience, as he whirled the globe of history before the minds of his hearers, proving that in the past as in the present the most celebrated men have come from a country where labor is dignified. Not to the southern climes, where fruit and grain grow spontaneously and no fear of winter prompts the steady toil of summer, do we look for our great leaders, but in those climes and countries where it is work, work, work, from morn till close of day, we find the most eminent statesmen, philosophers, philanthropists, and the greatest aggregate of thinking minds. To be something, to do something in life; this was the silver thread that ran through and brightened up his discourse. With sparkling story and well told incident Mr. Emory attracted the attention of any wandering mind, but the spirit of the lecture served to instruct as well as amuse, and there should be more effort in this progressive age to impress upon our youth the dignity of labor. At the close of the lecture Mr. Frank Wheeler favored the audience with several songs, and so ended the first lecture of the season, though we hope not the last.

The Free Methodists commenced their Quarterly Meeting Friday evening; preaching Saturday night by Rev. Mr. Rently, on Sunday morning by Rev. Michael, also celebration of the Lord's Supper; closing at night with a sermon by Rev. McGerry. The meetings were well attended, and we hope have helped many onward in the right way.

School begins in both rooms this week, and we are glad to welcome Miss Cox and Miss Leech again in our midst.

But our letter has already exceeded the patience of the good editor, so au revoir. HICKORY. Nov. 19, 1883.

Barnett Notes.

Oh, the snow! the beautiful snow! The hunters they come, and the deer must go.

We have solved the mystery of the Ohio election. The reason the State went so Democratic is because all the able bodied Republicans had left the State and were waiting around the edge of Forest county for the deer season to open.

A gentleman living at Marienville met with a severe accident while hunting. In shooting his gun, a Winchester rifle, the lock was blown out, the hammer striking him on the forehead inflicting a severe if not dangerous wound. It appears that the Winchester Co. manufacture only for use with their rifle a center fire cartridge. The cartridge used was of another make and rim fire. This is the explanation given.

William Wallace Jr. met a big buck in the woods, and after wounding him the buck gave William battle. Harry Warner happened around in time to interfere before William was used up.

Bear seem to be plenty. The road from Clarington to But-tonwood along the creek has been completed and is now open to travel.

Our mails have been changed. We now get three mails week from Brookville and three from Marienville a week and on the same days,—Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, coming in the forenoon and going in the afternoon. We get mail Tuesday and Friday from Ridgway, and Wednesday and Saturday from Tyersburg.

Sel. Fitzgerald has moved back to Coleman.

Some of our boys have been committing matrimony. Jas. Reid and Ida Bethum were now one, and William

Frampton and Delila Cook of Cooksbury are no longer two.

Jennie Shields has returned to Pittsburg where she has been attending and will attend school in the Female Seminary. Hattie Cook is also away on a similar errand.

The lumbermen are wanting a rise in the creek. TRAMP. Clarington, Nov. 19, 1883.

—Ballou's Magazine for December contains the last chapter of Mr. William H. Thomas's "Belle of Australia." Of course all ends well. The young husband gets his young bride, and the old folks bless them, and the wicked Earl turns out to be a trump and a pretty good fellow, even if he does run after the woman a little more than is proper for a nobleman. It is only \$1.50 per annum. For sale everywhere. Published by Thomas & Talbot, 23 Hawley Street, Boston.

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Notice.

All persons knowing themselves indebted to the undersigned, professionally or otherwise, will please call and settle by note, if they have not the cash to pay. I have a great deal standing on my books and must get them settled up at least once a year. Call between this and the first of January. J. M. BURKETT, M. D. Clarington, Pa., Nov. 14, 1883.

—"I Don't Feel Well!" The stomach is out of order; neglected, this means chronic dyspepsia. You should take Acker's Dyspepsia Tablets and avoid this terrible disease. Sold by G. W. Bovard.

Jurors for December Term.

The following persons have been drawn to serve as jurors at the December Sessions, commencing on the Third Monday of December, next:

- GRAND JURORS. C. E. Landers, Foreman, Harmony. C. O. Nyberg, Harmony. R. W. Pimm, Harmony. T. B. Machesney, Harmony. Andrew McCray, Harmony. J. L. Fitzgerald, Barnett. James Kerr, Barnett. James Hickling, Tionesta bor. George Henderson, Tionesta bor. J. A. Huling, Tionesta bor. Robert Brumbaugh, Green. William Thase, Green. Marcus Copeland, Hickory. T. J. Pownall, Hickory. B. W. Goodman, Howe. W. H. Neely, Jenks. John Berlin, Kingsley. G. S. Hudman, Kingsley. David Sutton, Kingsley. Henry Ehlers, Kingsley. Jacob Wolf, Kingsley. George Armstrong, Tionesta. John C. Hoovler, Tionesta. William Hepler, Tionesta.

PETIT JURORS.

- James M. Irvine, Barnett. George Mays, Barnett. James Buzzard, Barnett. Thomas Fitzgerald, Barnett. W. J. Armstrong, Barnett. J. H. Derickson, Tionesta bor. Daniel Walters, Tionesta bor. G. G. Butterfield, Tionesta bor. J. P. Hicks, Tionesta bor. Thomas Hassey, Tionesta bor. G. W. Robinson, Tionesta bor. C. Moon, Tionesta bor. D. R. Walters, Green. Henry Kiser, Green. George Kilmister, Green. George Herrington, Green. William Cropp, Green. Nick. Eichenberg, Green. William Huddleson, Green. G. W. Jennings, Green. John Wyant, Green. Nathan Osten, Harmony. Frank Kinnear, Harmony. R. B. Swalley, Harmony. Charles Griffin, Harmony. William Stein, Harmony. J. Smith, Hickory. W. Whitehill, Hickory. W. W. Patterson, Hickory. J. W. Polen, Hickory. A. W. Albaugh, Hickory. R. L. Whitehill, Hickory. B. Peter Anderson, Howe. N. W. Brockway, Jenks. John M. Dodge, Jenks. Irwin Robinson, Jenks. John Friggle, Jenks. George L. Scott, Jenks. Frank Walker, Jenks. Hiram Wing, Jenks. A. F. Brockway, Jenks. Isaac Russell, Kingsley. Leander Berlin, Kingsley. Raymond Graham, Kingsley. F. P. Orr, Kingsley. John Root, Kingsley. Jesse Overlander, Kingsley. Adam Bautzer, Tionesta. G. S. Hunter, Tionesta. Henry Matha, Tionesta.

MARRIED.

FRAMPTON—COOK—At the M. E. parsonage in Scotch Hill, November 6th, 1883, by Rev. J. Garnett, Mr. William T. Frampton, and Miss Delila Cook, both of Cooksbury, Forest county, Pa.